

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
129437-1

In Re Application Of: **Bret Ja Chisholm**

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
10/652,812	8/29/2003	Vanoy	23413	1753	2475

Invention: **METAL OXIDE NANOPARTICLES, METHODS OF MAKING, AND METHODS OF USE**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of January 19, 2006 above-identified application.

*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month       Two months       Three months       Four months       Five months  
from: March 19, 2006      until: May 19, 2006  
*Date*

The fee for the extension of time is \$1,020 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1130
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 06-1130
- Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

**WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.**

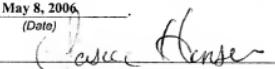
  
*Signature*

Dated: May 8, 2006

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on May 8, 2006.

*(Date)*

  
*Tasia Hansen*  
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